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From: Smith, Monica [smith.monica@epa.gov]
Sent: 9/5/2017 8:57:52 AM
To: Coleman, Sam [Coleman.Sam@epa.gov]
CC: Peterson, Mary [Peterson.Mary@epa.gov]; Blanco, Arturo [Blanco.Arturo@epa.gov]; Carroll, Craig [Carroll.Craig@epa.gov]; Smalley, Bryant [smalley.bryant@epa.gov]; Foster, Althea [foster.althea@epa.gov]; Edlund, Carl [edlund.carl@epa.gov]; Gray, David [gray.david@epa.gov]; Gee, Randy [Gee.Randy@epa.gov]; Vaughn, Gloria [Vaughn.Gloria@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: Urgent Re: M6H1 Harvey Response/RE: Request for help --need for surface water sampling near Superfund Sites and Industrial/Hazardous Waste Sites

TAGA will be in Manchester today.

The plan for TAGA is to monitor around the refineries. I will send the map and list in a separate email.

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 10:00 PM, Coleman, Sam <Coleman.Sam@epa.gov> wrote:

What targets are identified? Manchester?

Samuel Coleman, P. E.,
Deputy Regional Administrator

214.665.2100 Ofc
214.665. 3110 Desk
214.665.2016 Cell

Coleman.sam@epa.gov

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 7:59 PM, Peterson, Mary <Peterson.Mary@epa.gov> wrote:

Yes TAGA will be operational tomorrow.

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 7:54 PM, Blanco, Arturo <Blanco.Arturo@epa.gov> wrote:

EDF has set up a call at 9 am. Not sure who all are going to be on that call. City of Houston is looping us.

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 7:45 PM, Coleman, Sam
<Coleman.Sam@epa.gov> wrote:

Will the TAGA be operational tomorrow?

Samuel Coleman, P. E.,

Deputy Regional Administrator

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On Sep 4, 2017, at 6:29 PM, Blanco, Arturo
<Blanco.Arturo@epa.gov> wrote:

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Raun, Loren -
HHD"

<Loren.Raun@houstonx.gov>

Date: September 4,
2017 at 6:23:08 PM
CDT

To: "Gee, Randy"
<Gee.Randy@epa.gov>

Cc: "Blanco, Arturo"
<Blanco.Arturo@epa.gov>, "Hoyt, Daniel"
<Hoyt.Daniel@epa.gov>, "Key, Patrick -
HHD"

<Patrick.Key@houstonx.gov>, "James,
Daisy - HHD"

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David - HFD"

<David.Persse@houstonx.gov>, "Enders,
Jhana"

<Enders.Jhana@epa.gov>, "Richner,
Donald - HHD"

<Donald.Richner@houstonx.gov>, Katie
Moore

<klmoore@edf.org>, "Richner, Donald -
HHD"

<Donald.Richner@houstonx.gov>

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Industrial/Hazardou
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Thank you. We are still concerned. We are getting reports from the field.

California Team used HHD ppb rae to find plume. In the plume they got 590 ug/m³ benzene at 5 pm in the neighborhood on the corner of avenue I and 96th. This was 3 minute reading. We will need to have an hour average. They are going to try to calculate an hourly average based on their other reading. The 1 hour ESL was 170 ug/m³.

At 3:27 to 4:27, HHD MAAML found benzene at 5.23 ppb and lots of other compounds. Other compounds aren't high enough to trigger ESLs but higher than we usually see.

We, (EPA, Cal team
and MAAML staf)f are
having a call to
coordinate sampling
at 9 am tomorrow.

thanks, Loren

Loren Raun, PhD
Chief Environmental
Science Officer
Interim Bureau Chief
Community and
Children's
Environmental
Health
Houston Health
Department

From: Gee, Randy
<Gee.Randy@epa.gov>

Sent: Monday,
September 4, 2017 5:36
PM

To: Raun, Loren - HHD

Cc: Blanco, Arturo;
Hoyt, Daniel; Key,
Patrick - HHD; James,
Daisy - HHD; Persse,
David - HFD; Enders,
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Subject: Re: Urgent Re:
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Response/RE: Request
for help --need for
surface water sampling
near Superfund Sites
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Industrial/Hazardous
Waste Sites
Loren

Jhansi Enders from
our response team

should be contacting
you soon.

Randy

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On Sep 4, 2017, at
12:21 PM, Raun,
Loren - HHD
<Loren.Raun@houston.tx.gov> wrote:

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Phone:
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ntx.gov](mailto:Loren.Raun@houston.tx.gov)
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